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In re Applicant: Barkai, et al.
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) dated September 10, 2001, Applicant respectfully submits the following:

- A properly signed oath or declaration;
- A copy of the Notice of Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application.

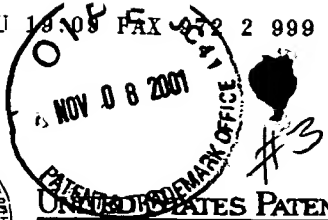
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Favorable action on this Response is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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